

[XXII^d Year.]

THURSDAY, February 26, 1767.

[N^o. 1120.]

R O M E, October 18.

THE Paper War here is carried on with as much Vehemence as ever between the Jesuits and their Adversaries, which last, believe me, are neither weak nor despicable; and moreover that his Holiness and his Court are under no small Trepidation for the Interests of his dear Children in Spain, lest that Court should follow the Examples of the Courts of France and Portugal, for it is certain some unlucky Steps are already taken in Spain, which carry very much that Appearance; and as to the young Chevalier de St. George, whom I have mentioned in some of my former Letters since my Arrival here, his chief Residence is still at Albano, where he takes the Diversions of the Season with his Attendants, which I am assured consist of three British Gentlemen and his Secretary, all Protestants, which I presume will afford the Bigots here but little Pleasure, nor will it strengthen his Interest in the Pope's Court, which it is believed he has Sense enough to despise, though it be generally thought his Finances are low enough.

Stockholm, November 4. The Princess Royal has made her Public Entry this Morning, and the Marriage Ceremony is to be performed at Seven o'Clock this Evening in the Chapel Royal.

L O N D O N, November 6. This Day the Right Hon. Lord Camden, Lord High Chancellor of Great-Britain, went in grand Procession, attended by several of the Great Officers of State, the Judges, &c. &c. from his House in Lincoln's-Inn-Fields to Westminster-Hall, and opened the Court wherein his Lordship do worthily presides.

Nov. 14. On the 22d of last Month a Foreign Gentleman, who is out of his Senses, took an Opportunity in the Minories of slipping away from a Surgeon of a Ship, who had the Care of him from Constantinople, and was conducting him to his Friends, and although he was advertised constantly in the Papers, with a very minute Description of his Person and Dress, though he could not speak a Word of English, nor had any Money in his Pocket, and though several People were traversing the Town in Search of him, yet no Tidings could be had of him before Tuesday Morning last; when his Brother passing over Westminster Bridge, fortunately perceived him sitting down, in a very dirty, melancholy, starving Condition. He was conducted home to his Friends, but could give no Account where he had been, how he subsisted, or what was become of a Gold Watch which he had in his Pocket when his Conductor lost him.

From the House of Correction in Surry, we are informed, that one of the most Wonderful Lyings-in that ever was known or heard of, is shortly expected to happen there; a young Man, one of the Prisoners, being big with Child: This is verified by the Oath of a young Woman, who, it seems, is the Father of the Child. For the Truth of this, we refer to an Article in the last Printed Kalendar of the Prisoners in the House of Correction in Southwark, which runs in these Words: "Edmund Mitchell, committed the 11th of June, 1766, by the Rev. Thomas Ellis, Clerk, he being charged on the Oath of Elizabeth Edwards, of the Parish of Nutfield, in this County, single Woman, with being with Child; and that the said Child is likely to be Born a Bastard, and to be chargeable to the said Parish of Nutfield." [Perhaps the Parson who committed him is an old Woman.]

Nov. 26. A Plan for a new Town is already drawn, which is to consist of 1500 Houses, built of an equal Height, and in the most regular Manner. This Town is to be built on the Left of Sooter's Hill in Kent, in a circular Form, with a noble Assembly Room in the Middle, and is to be called New Plumstead; and, when finished, it is supposed will be the most beautiful Thing of its Kind in Europe, as it commands a most delightful Prospect for many Miles over the River Thames, and Springs of Water are even with the Ground.

The Eagle, Sugars, from Dublin to Parkgate, with General Stanwix and Family, and other Passengers, is supposed to be lost.

The Lords Justices of Ireland issued a Proclamation the 23d ult. in Consequence of a Memorial

from the Mayor, Sheriffs, and Common Council of the City of Cork, representing, "That several large Quantities of Potatoes have been lately shipped in the Port of Cork for foreign Parts, whereby the Price of Potatoes in that City had been greatly advanced, and that they had strong Reasons to imagine that there will be Orders for shipping from that Kingdom such Quantities of Potatoes, as will distress the Poor thereof in the highest Degree; and that by the great Failure in the Growth of Wheat, Barley, and Oats, in that Kingdom this Year, the lower Clafs of People must receive their principal Support the ensuing Winter, Spring, and Summer, from the Potatoes of the Produce of this Year." In order to prevent the Distress which may be apprehended to the poorer Sort of People of that Kingdom, by the Exportation of Potatoes, they do strictly prohibit and forbid the Exportation of Potatoes out of all the Ports in the Kingdom.

Nov. 29. Yesterday the Duke of Portland resigned his Place as Lord Chamberlain of his Majesty's Household.

The same Day the Earl of Hertford resigned his Place of Master of the Horse; and afterwards kissed his Majesty's Hand on being appointed Lord Chamberlain, in the Room of the Duke of Portland.

It is said that the Duke of Richmond will this Day be appointed Master of the Horse, in the Room of the Earl of Hertford.

Yesterday the Earl of Bedford resigned his Place of Post-Master General.

The same Day Sir Charles Saunders resigned his Place as First Lord of the Admiralty.

The Earl of Scarborough also resigned his Place of Cofferer of his Majesty's Household, and Deputy Earl Marshal of England. As did Lord Monson his Place of Lord Chief Justice in Eyre of his Majesty's Forests South of Trent.

We hear that on Tuesday and Wednesday a Deputation of Millers, Mealmen, &c. waited on the principal Nobility and Gentry in the Administration, with a Memorial, praying to have the same Bounty allowed on Flour as on Wheat, to the great Benefit of the Manufacturers of this Nation; when they were received with that Condescension and Attention which this worthy Administration have ever shown to the Manufactures of Great-Britain.

Yesterday the Duke of York had a numerous and splendid Levee at his House in Pall-Mall, where it is said two illustrious Foreigners, lately arrived at this Court, attended.

Yesterday Se'nnight two Italian Princes arrived in Town, who it is said had the Honour of entertaining his Royal Highness the Duke of York when on his Travels through Italy, and are now come on Purpose to visit him and the British Court.

Orders are received at Toulon to fit out there the Spy Felucca, on board of which 2 Lieutenant Generals of the French King's Naval Forces are to embark, in order to visit all the Coasts of France, from Marseilles to the Mouth of the Rhone.

Dec. 2. Most, if not all, of the Resignations mentioned in the public Papers, have been made, as perhaps some more will be; but we are well assured that the pretended Offers made of those Employments to others, and their Rejections of those Offers, are impertinent and groundless Falsenesses, and of course Impositions on the Public.

It is said that the Attention of the Ministry will be employed principally this Session in regulating for the future the Price of Corn and Provisions, and for preventing the monopolizing and engrossing those Necessaries of Life.

Letters from Copenhagen, dated the 18th ult. inform that their Majesties, the King and Queen of Denmark, are in perfect Health; and that the Prince of Hesse Cassel, on the 16th ult. gave a grand Entertainment and a Masked Ball there, at which their Majesties, the great Officers of State, and others of the Nobility, were present.

It is said that the free Importation of Corn from any Part of Europe will only be allowed until the first Day of next March.

The Ticket N^o. 20,000, drawn Yesterday a Prize of 10,000 l. is the Property of Mr. Jump,

Cheese-Monger in Piccadilly, and 5 other Traders. [A very lucky jump for them.]

They write from Rochfort that six Regiments of Foot had just arrived there, to be embarked on board two Men of War and several Transports, for the French Settlements of Domingo.

A Letter from Sierra Leon mentions that the Crew of a French Slaving Ship on the African Coast had turned Pirates, and run away with the Vessel to Madagascar.

We hear that Yesterday Lord Hillsborough was removed from First Lord of Trade to be First Lord of the Admiralty.

And that George Cockburne, Esq; from Comptroller of the Navy, is appointed a Lord of the Admiralty, together with Dr. Hay.

It is said that a certain Noble Lord, of great Abilities, has offered his Service to the Crown, without Fee or Reward.

They write from Guernsey that a French Ship, laden with Wool, from Barbary, had lately been wrecked on the Race of Alderney, and all the Crew perished.

A few Days ago a French Bark put into St. Mary's, Scilly, by Distress of Weather, where she was detained by the Custom-House Officers, having a Quantity of English Wool on board.

Yesterday a large Seizure of Tea was made by two Revenue Officers, concealed under the Ballast of a North-Country Coasting-Vessel lying off the Hermitage.

We hear from Berwick upon Tweed that the Price of Wheat had fallen there 3 s. 6 d. per Sack, and is now brought to Market in the greatest Plenty.

Yesterday the Price of Wheat fell One Shilling per Quarter in Mark-Lane.

The Hon. Chambers Russel, Esq; many Years one of his Majesty's Council of Massachusetts-Bay, one of the Judges of the Supreme Court of Judicature, and Judge of the Court of Vice-Admiralty there, landed the 17th ult. at Portsmouth from Boston, and on the 22d died at Guildford, in his Way to London.

We learn from Whitehaven that the Eagle, Capt. Sugars, reported to be lost, with General Stanwix and Family on board, was safely arrived there, from Ireland.

We hear from Scotland that 50,000 Head of Cattle have lately been contracted for by the English Graziers, to be sent into Lincolnshire, and the Southern Counties.

From the GENTLEMAN'S MAGAZINE, for November last.

The following PETITION was presented to his Majesty as he went to Parliament.

To the KING's most excellent Majesty.

The humble Petition of the Widows of the Commission and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy, Sheweth,

THAT your poor Petitioners, by the great Reduction of their Pensions, are reduced to the greatest Extremity, to insupportable and almost insupportable Distress, and without the kind Interposition of Parliament, their present very calamitous distressed Situation is likely to be rendered still more intolerable, by the excessive Dearness of Provisions, and the Cruelty of merciless Creditors, many of your Majesty's unhappy Petitioners being now under continual Fears and Apprehensions of a Goal.

That great Almighty Power who hath stretched out the Heaven, and laid the Foundation of the Earth, by whom King's reign, and Princes decree Justice, has declared that he will not disdain to hear the Cries of the Poor, and the Sighings of the Needy; whom to resemble is the greatest Honour, the noblest and most supreme Glory of Princes.

We therefore your Majesty's poor needy Petitioners (as nothing but a Royal Order to the honourable House of Commons is wanting to procure us Redress) most humbly beg that your Majesty would be graciously pleased to recommend our very unhappy Case to the Consideration of Parliament, and that they would be pleased to fix our precarious, uncertain, nominal Pensions, upon a certain, solid, and lasting Foundation; and we flatter ourselves from your Majesty's great Goodness, Justice, and Humanity, that we shall not beg in vain: So shall the Blessings of the Widow and Fatherless descend upon the Heads of your illustrious House, and the devout fervent Prayers of most grateful Hearts be incessantly poured out for the Glory, the Happiness and Prosperity of your Majesty and Royal Family, as long as the British Empire exists, and its victorious triumphs show the vanquished Main.

Witness the Petitioners of the Navy. London, Nov. 11, 1766.

BOSTON, February 5.

Tuesday Night last a few Minutes after Ten o'Clock, the Bake-House improved by Mr. George Bray, (formerly Mr. Davenport's) nigh the Mill-Bridge, burst into Flames, which immediately communicated to several Buildings contiguous thereto: the Wind blowing high, and not steadily at one Point, the flaming Cinders soon drove on the Roofs of the Houses on every Quarter, and Water being scarce, the Flames for some Time baffled the Efforts of the Firewards, and Engine-men; and while they were employed in extinguishing the Fire where it first broke out, it was found necessary for some to attend at distant Places; and being uncertain what Course the Flames would principally take, obliged a great Number of Families to remove their Goods and Furniture, few thinking themselves safe in that Neighbourhood: A large Brick-House belonging to John Hancock, Esq; which was slated, in a great Measure stopped its Course Southward, and a Brick Wall of Mr. Bulfinch's prevented his House, and those on the South Side of the Mill-Creek, from being burnt; but the Flames of Fire drove mostly to the Northward, passing over the Creek, caught the Houses of Capt. Ball, the Pilot, Mr. John Griffith, Mr. Jacob Emmons, with many others, and consumed all as far as Cross-Street; excepting those which fronted that Street, Middle-Street, and Fore-Street, the back Part only of some of these were burnt, tho' all were on Fire several Times; the large Mansion-House of Mr. Jonathan Williams, Merchant, was the last that was entirely consumed: Many other Houses were on Fire several Times, and considerably burnt, especially in Fore-Street; but the Tide coming up into the Docks the Engines were plentifully supplied with Water; by which they were prevented from being consumed, and the Fire from spreading further. It was about Three o'Clock in the Morning before the Flames were subdued; during so many Hours the Inhabitants were indefatigable in supplying the Engines with Water, and helping the Distressed, notwithstanding the Extremity of the Weather, which was so cold, that the Water, which fell on their Clothes immediately froze.—Nothing seemed favourable at the first Breaking out of the Fire, except the Time, being before the Inhabitants were generally in Bed—the Weather had come on very severe in the Evening, and the Wind high at W. and N. W. the Streets slippery, being covered with Ice, and low Water.—It was really distressing, especially for those who had Children and sick Persons to take out of their Beds, and remove with their Goods to a great Distance.—Many Goods which were bulky and heavy were obliged to be left in the Street, whereby they were much damaged.—The Loss to the several Sufferers, we pretend not to estimate, but certainly it must be very great, as its laid above Twenty Dwelling-Houses were consumed, and between Forty and Fifty Families deprived of their Habitations:—But by a gracious Providence no Lives were lost, nor do we hear of any dangerously wounded, though many were exposed to imminent Dangers, being confined to narrow Passages, among the Flames of Fire and the Falling of Houses.

We have not yet obtained a List of those Families who are burnt out.

This is the Second or Third Time that Mr. Bray has unfortunately been deprived of his Bake-House by Fire.

NEW-YORK, February 16.

By Capt. Hibbs, who arrived here Tuesday last, in 11 Days from Newbern, in North-Carolina, we have Intelligence, that about the beginning of December last, a French Ship of above 400 Tons, Monsieur Richard Commander, bound from Leoganne, for Nantz, in France, with a valuable Cargo of Sugar and Indigo, having met with much bad Weather, and sprung a Leak at Sea, had put into Port Look-Out, in North-Carolina, in Distress;—Where, upon the Survey of Carpenters, the Ship was adjudged irreparable, and condemned.—Capt. Hibbs has brought Part of her Cargo in here.

Monday last four Criminals lately condemn'd, were executed near Fresh-Water, pursuant to their Sentence.—They spoke but very little at the Gallows, only confessed they deserved the Punishment they were brought to, and desired that others might take Warning by their unhappy Fate; notwithstanding which Example, a Man had his Pocket-Book stole at the Execution.

One Hundred and Thirty-four of the Recruits that arrived here lately from Germany, for the Royal-Americans, at the Request of General Gage, are to be billeted in Public-Houses in the Towns of New-Haven, Willingford and Branford.

We hear that the Ruins of several Mills, Dams,

and Bridges, and a large Stack of Hay, entire, are gone ashore on Long-Island, supposed to be carried from the Main by the late Floods.

ANNAPOLIS, February 26.

We are told, that the Commissioners appointed for Paying off the Public Claims, have already Paid away near 30,000 l. (altho' they have had but Four Office Days) which is more than Half of the Public Debt.

It is said, that such a Number of the TICKETS in the MARYLAND LIBERTY LOTTERY, are sold, and sell so fast, that the Managers expect to Draw before the Time first intended.

Extract of a Letter from a Merchant in London, dated the 19th November last.

"The Real or Artificial Scarcity of Corn, having raised a great Clamour and drove the Needy or Diffolute into Riots, Lord Chatham advised the laying an Embargo on the Exportation of Corn. This is made a Pretence for the Opposition to throw a Slur on the Ministry; but as the Measure was prudent and even necessary, they did not venture to Censure it, but said they thought an Act to indemnify the Advisers was proper; as the Prerogative was, as they said, illegally exercised. This was a Cut-Throat Favour, and was rejected with a contemptuous Superiority. The Ministry hinted to the Opposition, the Meanness of their Motives to this false Kindness, insisted on the Legality and Necessity of their Conduct, and declared they would not have an Act to indemnify them: And they would scorn to receive this Favour, at the Motion of those Men, who thought they stood in no Need of the like Security in the Case of General Warrants, which had violated the Letter and Spirit of the Constitution, in the Sense of the Courts of Law, of both Houses of Parliament, and every Honest Man in the Kingdom."

The Letter from JAMES WEEMS, Esq; with Certificates to confute a false Accusation, came too late for this Week's GAZETTE, but will be in the next.

Baltimore-Town, 1767.

CASH for BILLS; or, BILLS for CASH.

JONATHAN PLOWMAN.

ANNAPOLIS, February 24, 1767.

CATHARINA ELISABETH BLACKETT, Widow, whose Maiden Name was WILSON, came into this Country in a Palatine Ship, Capt. Courtin, in the Year 1752, and had a Brother who came in a Year before her, and wrote for her to come in. He lived somewhere near Lancaster in Pennsylvania, and she would be very glad to hear from him.

February 4, 1767.

THE Subscriber having laid out a Point of Land adjoining to Baltimore-Town, and Fell's Point, into about 270 Lots, will LEASE, or SELL the same, as may best suit the Purchasers. They stand high, pleasant and healthy; the Soil is good for Gardens, and fine Well Water may be had. Jones's Falls run round the Land, so that Flats and Boats may come very convenient to the greatest Part of the Lots. The Public Road to Fell's Point leads through the Land: All Lots taken within Twelve Months, shall go at 6 d. Sterling per Foot Ground Rent, for 99 Years, renewable for ever, or he will Sell them out and out, for a Principal equal to the Interest; a Plan of the Lots may be seen at his House, near the Lower-Bridge Foot.

BRIAN PHILPOT.

N. B. Any Person taking a Lot, and Building a good House, not less than 25 by 16 Feet, within Two Years, shall have Three Years Rent free, from the Date of the Lease.

COMMITTED to Dorchester County Goal, as a Runaway, the 24th Day of December 1766, a Mulatto Man, by the Name of Bob, and when brought, said he belonged to Mr. John Waters of Somerset County, but upon further Examination, says he belongs to one Richard Connors, and that he left his Master in Patuxent River, he is about 5 Feet 7 or 8 Inches high, and well-set; Cotton Jacket and Breeches, an old Hat Patched with some of the same. If the said Richard Connors, or any other Person, be his Master, he or they, are desired to come and Release the said Bob from Goal, and Pay his Charges, or he will be sold agreeable to Act of Assembly in that Case made and provided, by JOHN DICKENSON, Sheriff.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, by the Subscriber, on Saturday the 7th Day of March next, at the late Dwelling-House of Samuel Day, at the Head of South-River.

ONE Hundred ACRES of LAND, called CHAYNE'S PURCHASE. (w2) BENJAMIN WELSH.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC VENDUE, on the 6th Day of April next, on the Premises, for Sterling Cash, Dollars at 4 s. 6 d. or good Bills of Exchange.

A TRACT of LAND, lying in the Forks of Gunpowder, about 12 Miles from Baltimore-Town, called, THE LAND OF PROMISE, containing Eight Hundred Acres, the greatest Part of which, is as good as any in the Country, very proper for either Farming or Plantation Business; there is about a Hundred and Twenty-four Acres cleared, with a large new Framed Dwelling-House, and a good Cellar under, a very good new Framed Barn, Three good Tobacco Houses, an extraordinary good Kitchen, and all other convenient Out-Houses, a new paled Garden, a young Apple-Orchard: A good Part of the above Land may be made into Meadow Ground.

(6w) NICHOLAS L. DARNALL.

THE Subscriber, having supplied himself with a BOAT and HANDS fit to carry PASSENGERS up and down the BAY, as also to PILOT SHIPS from Annapolis to Cape-Henry, gives this Public Notice, That any Gentlemen who have Occasion to Travel that Way, or any Ships that have Need of a PILOT, shall be faithfully served, by Their humble Servant,

ROBERT BRYCE.

January 28, 1767.

ALL Persons indebted to Messieurs Stewart and Armour, Messieurs John Stewart, and Company, or Messieurs John Stewart and Campbell, either on Bond, Note, Protested Bills, or Accounts Current, for Dealings with Alexander Stewart, Stewart and Lux, or with William Lux, on Account of Servants, are once more requested to come and Pay off their respective Balances; or their Accounts, &c. will be immediately put in Suit without respect of Persons.

Those who have open Accounts for Dealings with William Lux, in Messieurs John Stewart and Campbell's Store, at Elk-Ridge Landing, are entreated to come and Pay them off, or settle and give Bond with Security, if required, otherwise their sundry Accounts will be put into the Hands of a Lawyer. Attendance will be constantly given at the Landing, for the above mentioned Purposes. Those who appear, agreeable to this Notice, and shew Cause why they are not able to pay, will have necessary Indulgence allowed them.

The Subscriber has for Sale, about £. 1400 First Cost of GOODS, which will be sold cheap, for ready Cash, good Bills of Exchange, or Credit, on giving Security, if required.

ALEXANDER STEWART.

WANTED,

A MILLER, any Person who understands Dressing and Tending a Tub-Mill, may have immediate Employment, and good Wages, by applying to the Subscriber, in Prince-George's County, Patuxent River, near Nottingham.

FRANCIS WARING.

THE Subscriber, at Elk-Ridge Landing, requests all Persons Indebted to him, either for Goods sold them, or for their Tavern Scores, to make immediate Payment: And, as we have now a Medium, they cannot expect longer Indulgence.

(6w) JOSHUA GRIFFITH.

THERE is at the Plantation of John Macdonall, near Annapolis, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Mare, about 14 Hands high, with a Star in her Forehead, no perceivable Brand, the Trots and Gallops, and is 5 or 6 Years old.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is in the Possession of Joshua Yates, Overseer, at the Plantation, called Squirrel-Neck, on Road-River, belonging to Mr. Nicholas Maccubbin, taken up as a Stray, a small black Horse, with a Star in his Forehead, and a Snip on his Nose, one of his hind Feet white, and no perceivable Brand.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

Mr. Maccubbin.

to be SOLD by the SUBSCRIBER,

A HOUSE and LOT in George-Town, on Rock-Creek, adjoining Mr. Peter's Store. Also, a SCHOONER, of about Thirty-five Tons, with a Cargo of about 250 Barrels of FLOUR: And if the Purchaser likes, the Subscriber will engage to furnish him with another Cargo, by the last of May, or first of June next.

JACOB FUNCK.

Any Persons inclinable to Purchase, may apply to Mr. Thomas Johns, at George-Town, who has a Power to Sell. from J. F.

W A N T E D,

A MAN that understands Book keeping, and will undertake the keeping the Books of an Iron-Works; such a Person that can come well recommended, will meet with Employ, by applying to

THO^s. SAMUEL, and JOHN SNOWDEN.

Patuxent Iron-Works, Feb. 24, 1767.

STOLEN from the Subscribers, the 20th Instant, at Night, Two Horses, one a dark Brown, about 13½ Hands high, has a very large Star in his Fore-head, a large Snip on his Nose, and Four white Feet, branded on the Shoulder, RS, and on the Buttock, TH. The other a dark Bay, about 13½ Hands high, his Brands not known, though he is a Waggon Horse, and is Marked with the Collar and Traces—Whoever will bring the said Horses to the Subscribers, shall have THIRTY SHILLINGS, paid by

THO^s. SAMUEL, and JOHN SNOWDEN.

LOST some Time ago, a PEARL SNUFF-BOX, remarkable for having Two silver Lids, the Upper One Chas'd, with a Sheaf of Wheat, a Snake, and Two Hands, and the other a Frame for a Picture. Whoever has got the same, by returning it to the Printing-Office, shall have a Reward of THREE DOLLARS, with Thanks.

TAKEN up adrift, the 23th of January, a large 12 hhd FLAT, at the Upper-End of the Cliffs, near Frying-Creek, in Calvert County; he appears as if he belonged to some Iron-Works, as he is ceiled up to her Gunwales, and has some Iron-ore and Shells in her; some Part of her upper Streak is off, with a large Beam athwart her, a large Iron Bolt and Ring in her Bow, with about Two Fathom of Two Inch Rope, for a Painter. The Owner may have her again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

JOHN PETERS.

THERE is at the Plantation of John Beall, in Frederick County, taken up as a Stray, a dark Bay Horse, about 14 Hands high, appears to be very old, branded on the near Shoulder, I R, and on the near Buttock, A C.

The Owner may have him again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is at the Plantation of Ulrick Burk, in Gunpowder Forest, in Baltimore County, taken up as a Stray, a Black Mare between 13 and 14 Hands high, dock'd, but not branded, her near hind Foot white, a small white Spot in her Forehead, trots naturally, and is supposed to be four Years old next Spring.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

To be SOLD by PUBLIC VENDOR, on the 2d Day of March Court, at the House of Mr. Adams, in Annapolis, for ready Cash,

TWO NEGRO WOMEN, one with Child, and a Child. They understand Household Work.

ELIZABETH MOSS.

February 18, 1767.

To be SOLD to the highest Bidder, at the Plantation of Samuel Howard, deceased, near Annapolis, on Severn-River, on Thursday the 12th of March, at 10 o'Clock, for Current Money, or good Bills of Exchange, or Bonds on Interest, with good Security,

A Parcel of fine SLAVES, consisting of Men, Women and Children, sundry Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs, Household Furniture, a Parcel of Leather, and Plantation Utensils.

SAMUEL HOWARD, } Administrators.
JOHN HOWARD, }

JUST IMPORTED, from LONDON,

in the Ship Lord Cambden, Capt. Johnstone, and to be SOLD by the Subscriber, at his Store at Elk-Ridge Landing, for Cash, Bills of Exchange, Tobacco, Wheat, Corn, Rye, Beans, or short Credit.

A LARGE Assortment of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS; among which are the following Articles.—Of nabrigs, Hempen Roles; ¾ and ¾ brown, white, and Russia Sheet; ¾ Ell Russia Linen; brown and white Silefias; ¾, ¾, and Yard wide, fine and coarse Irish Linens; Russia Drab; ¾ Dowls; striped Cotton and Silk Gingham; corded and flowered Dimothy; white Callico; ¾ Cuffares, striped Muffin Handkerchiefs; striped Lawn, and bordered Ditto; striped and spotted Linen Handkerchiefs; Bandana, Lutestring, Roffett, Culgee, and Barcelona Silk Handkerchiefs; a Variety of low priced Purple, Light and Dark ground Calicoes; Light, Red, Pompadour, Purple, and Black ground Chintz; Printed Linens; Yard wide, and ¾ Muffin; Kenting and Holland Lawn, spotted and clear Ditto; Cambricks; Cyprus, striped, & flowered Gauze; dark-brown, light-blue, green, and black Persians; ¾, ¾, and ¾ superfine Diaper Table-Cloths; ¾ Linen Check; ¾, Yard wide, and ¾ Cotton Ditto; Cotton Hollands; white and dyed Jeans; ¾, ¾, and ¾ Bed Bants; Half Ell Bolster Tick; Olive colour'd Manchester Velvet; Tammies; Durants; superfine Scarlet, and Crimfon Rattennets; Starrets; Barleycorns; Diamontee; fashionable Mecklenburgh; Callimancoes; Dorsetteen; brown and blue Cambricks, fine Serge-Denims; coloured and black Crape; Bombazeen; Double Allopen; Harband Crape; Callimanco quilted Petticoats; Velvet Hoods; Meffinet; Silveret, and fashionable brocade Poplin; white and green Welch Cotton; white Kerseys; Bearskins; Frize; Rattens; Halfthicks; Forrest Cloth; Devonshire Kersey; German Serge; striped Lincey; Embossed Serge; white Swankin; striped Duffle Blankets; double-mill'd Drab Cloth; Variety of fine and superfine Broadcloths; Wilton Cloth; fine and superfine Sagathies, and Duroys; light colour'd Hair Shag, long pile Crimfon Ditto; Cloth colour'd and Scarlet Womens Cloaks; Sewing Silk; Scarf and Mohair Twist; Coat Binding; Balendine; brown, whited brown, Scotch, Nuns, & Cambrick Threads; Holland, Diaper, Manchester & Dresden Tape; Bobbing; Dutch Pritties; Quality Binding; Gartering; Thread and Silk Laces; Ferrit; Galloon; Padufoy, Satin, figured, striped, and plain Ribbon; Gimp; Cap Wire; Womens Silk Mitts; Pins; Wax Necklaces; Mother-of-Pearl Necklaces, and Ear-Rings; Ivory, Bone, and Crape Fans; Womens plain and laced Silk Bonnets; superfine fashionable colour'd Lutestring Ditto; black Silk, and Velvet Ditto; Whitechapel Needles; Candle Wick; ¾ and ¾ spotted Rugs; ¾ Worsted Ditto; ¾, ¾, and ¾ Bed Blankets; ¾ Calicoe Quilts; Hylon, Green, and Bohem Tea; Double and Single Refined Sugar; Pepper, Pimento, Salt-Petre, Ginger, Epsom Salts, Nutmegs, Cloves, Mace, Cinnamon, Rofin, Allom, Indigo, Fig and Powder Blue; Mens, Womens, and Youths Worsted, Thread, and Cotton Hosiery; Worsted Breeches Patterns; Womens Callimanco, Spanish Leather, and Leather Shoes and Pumps; Mens, and Youths, plain and bound Shoes and Pumps; Single Channel Boots; Wax Skins, Ben Leather Soles; Womens Kid Gloves and Mitts; Girls and Womens Lamb, Satin Lamb, wash, and black Gloves and Mitts; Mens black stitched Dogskin, white Lamb, and welted Buck Gloves; Womens and Girls Stays; Boys and Mens Felt Hats; Boys and Mens plain and laced Casser Hats; Table Knives and Forks, Heel Knives, Pocket Knives and Forks, Clasp and Pen Knives; common and best London Scissars; Taylor's, and small Shears; common and best London Razors; Steel, White Metal, Pinchbeck, Mourning, plated Silver, and solid Silver Buckles; large Steel Knee Buckles; Bristol Stone Stock Buckles, Sleeve Buttons, Bosom Buckles, and Stay Hooks; Tea Tonges & Spoons; Awl Blades and Tacks; Horn Combs; Sleeve Buttons, Pearl Breast Buttons, flat and cap Metal Coat and Breast Buttons; double gilt, plain, and wrought Ditto; black Glass Ditto; Ivory and Dandriff Combs; Horn Moulds; Kirby Hooks; Perch Lines; Japanned, Silver mounted Tortifshell, and Enamell'd Snuff-Boxes; Silver, Steel, and Brass Thimbles; Bone and Ivory Nutmeg-Graters; Steel Watch Keys and Chains, Steel Spring Spurs; Oil Gun-Flints; Temple and Common Spectacles; Gold Hatbands, with Bristol Stone Buckles; Mahogany Frame, and Dutch Looking-Glasses; 6 Quire Ledgers, and Journals,

bound in Rough Calf and Letter'd; red and black Ink-Powder; Writing Paper, Bibles, Testaments, Prayer Books, Plasters, Whole Duty of Man; Memorandum Books; 2 d. 3 d. 4 d. 6 d. 8 d. 10 d. 12 d. 20 d. 24 d. and 30 d. Nails; Saddlers Tacks; Hob Nails, broad Hoes, Iron Traces, Pot Hooks, Shutter Bolts, Crofs Garnet, Side, and HL Hinges; Pad, Cup-board, Chest, and Stock Locks; Iron bound Ditto, with Brass Knobs; Box Irons and Heaters; Thumb Latches; Plane Irons; Compasses; all Sorts of Chizels; Augres, Steel Plate Hand Saws, Whip, Crofs Cut, Hand saw, and Smiths Files; Farriers Rasps; Scythes; compleat Sets of Shoemakers Tools; Steel Spades; Iron Pots; Blister Steel; Grindstones; Mens and Womens high and low priced Saddles; Womens superfine Cloth Saddle Covers, laced and fringed with double Furniture; plain and fringed Houfings; Saddle-Cloths; Snafile, Half Kirb, Whole Kirb, Pelham & Weymouth Bridles; Surcingles, Stirrup Leathers, Switch, Half and Whole Hunting Whips; China Tea Cups and Saucers, Coffee Ditto, Chocolate Ditto, Custard Cups and Bowls; all Kinds of Glass, Stone, and Earthen Ware; Copper Tea Kettles; Brass and Iron Candlesticks; Bell-metal Skillets, Mortars and Pestles; Warming Pans; Pewter Dishes, Plates, Porringers, & Basons; Guns, and Gun Locks; Mahogany Tea Chests, Tea Boards, and Hand Wasters; Glass Castors or Cruet Frames; Mops, Scrubbing Brushes, Clampt Cloth Brushes, Brooms, shoe Brushes, Hearth Brooms; Shoe Lasts, Shoe Heels; Blacking Ball; Hair and Lawn Sifters; Wool Cards; F and FF Gunpowder; Shot and Bar Lead; painted Tin Sugar Boxes; Funnels, Sauce Pans, Cullenders; gilt Trunks, Snuff, &c. &c.

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JOHN DORSEY.

N. B. I have a few Boxes of CHINA, amount about 25 l. Cost, each, Consisting of low priced Blue and White, and Ennamell'd, Tea, Coffee and Chocolate Cups and Saucers, Custard Cups and Bowls, which I will sell at a very small Advance, by the Box.

7 D.

Benside, February 18, 1767.

W A N T E D,

ONE Hundred Tons of PIG IRON, from the Elk-Ridge or Baltimore Works, apply to Mr. Robert Couden, at Annapolis, or to the Subscriber, at Upper-Mariborough, next Marsh Court.

THOMAS CAMPBELL.

A LIST of the LETTERS remaining in the Post-Office, at ANNAPOLIS, the 17th Day of Feb. 1767.

A. STEWART, D. P. Mr.

M. B. Robert Butlan, 2, 30. John Barton, in. Henry Brent, cc. Jane Brown, m. John Bond, m. Wm. Buchanan, fr. John Barclay, ga. Abraham Butterman, po. Benj. Brawner, cc. Elijah Bean, ch. George Bacon, a. James Brown, pg. Elizabeth Butler, m. John Bennett, cc. Robert Brown, 4. Queen's-Town, Robert Brent, pg. C. Thomas Contee, po. Joshua Clark, cc. John Craig, cc. Richard Cannock, m. Peter Cleland, Kingston, m. Caleb Clark, Choptank. Joseph Cowman, aa. Richard Cogle, cc. Alexander Carvell, Road-River. D. Caleb Dorsey, Elk-Ridge. Wm. Deakins, pg. Robert Dowson, 3, Patuxent. Wm. Durall, fr. F. Josiah Fitchet, in. Bernard Ferris, m. Athanasius Ford, 2, m. Tho. Faltrap, m. James Forbes, Patuxent. G. Reverdy Ghiselin, a. Fielder Gantt, fr. John Gaskett, m.

H. Mary Hammond, a. David Hay, 3, cc. Vernon Hebb, 2, m. Mr. Hunter, 2, m. John Hanfon, junr. cc. Sarah Hewitt, m. James Hollyday, Patuxent. Benjamin Harrison, m. Richard Helton, senr. m. Peter Hubbert, Nanticoke.

I. Henry Jernigan, m. James Jordan, m. Henry Jackson, and Co. 2. Thomas Johnson, a.

K. John Kemp, cc. Joshua Kellam, m. L. Richard Lloyd, cc. Philip Thomas Lee, a. Anne Lee, 2, a. Edward Lloyd, Wye-River.

M. Patrick Macgill, Elk-Ridge. Mrs. M'Williams, 2, Clement's-Bay. Sam. Middleton, a. Daniel M'Daniel, 2, Patuxent. Alexander M'Daniel, Ditto. Thomas Mufe, d. William Mathews, cc. Patrick M'Caui, cc. James M'Laughlan, ga. Madam M'Cordigh, London-Town.

N. Raphael Neale, cc. Eleanor Neale, 2, cc. P. Jonathan Pinkney, a. Wm. Pace, 2, a. R. Thomas Richards, cc.

S. Ephraim Stevens, Toler-Point. Roger Smith, cc. John Somervell, m. Adam Skoll, a. Benton Stanton, 2, Wye-River. Joseph Sim, Patuxent. Samuel Smith, a. Elizabeth Small, a.

T. Wm. Thomas, a. John Thompson, cc. Benja. Talker, 3, a. Margaret Taylor. Mr. Thornton, Eastern-Shore. Richard Tootell, a. Philip Thomas, aa. Benja. Thorne, cc.

W. Samuel Watkins, a. Tho. Wilson, a. Richard Woolton, a. Wm. Wrigth, m. Ann Winford Harper, a. David Walker, a. Robert Watts, 2, m. George Watts, Severn. Thomas Williams, a.

Explanation of the above Abridgments.

a. Annapolis. aa. Anne-Arundel County. cc. Charles County. cc. Cecil County. d. Dorchester. fr. Frederick. m. Kent County. m. Maryland. pg. Pr. George's County. po. Potowmack. ga. Q. Anne's County. in. St. Mary's. cc. Talbot County.



SADDLER, late from Charles-Town, South-Carolina, has now opened Shop, near the Town-Gate, Annapolis,

WHERE he makes Gentlemens full Weltd and Plain Hogskin seated Saddles, Race, Common Hunting, King's Hunting, and Breasted ditto, and Womens ditto, of all Kinds, in the newest Fashion; likewise covers Coaches, Chairs, &c. with Cloth, mends and makes all Manner of Coach and Chair Harness, Cloth and Leather Housings, Saddle Bags, Portmanteaus, Mail Pillions, Boot-Straps, Fire Buckets, and all Sorts of Saddle Furniture, &c. &c.

Those Gentlemen and Ladies that please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Work done in the best Manner, and with the utmost Dispatch, by Their Humble Servant,

HENRY MERONEY.

N. B. He will give great Encouragement to a Saddle Tree Maker.

H. M.

ANNAPOLIS, February 14, 1767.

RAN away on the second Instant, from a Plantation at the upper End of Anne-Arundel County, near Mr. Samuel Manfell's, Two Servant Men, viz.

JAMES M'DANIEL, an Irishman, lately imported, about 5 Feet 8 Inches high, with dark brown Hair: Had on when he went away, a Felt Hat, old Bearskin Coat, striped double-breasted Flannel Waistcoat, a Pair of Buckskin Breeches, white Yarn Stockings, Country-made Shoes, and a white Holland and Osnabrig Shirt.

JOHN NORMAN, an Englishman, about 5 Feet high, with dark brown Hair, fresh Complexion, and when spoke to, has a down-cast Look: Had on and took with him when he went away, a new Felt Hat, yellow double-breasted Cotton Jacket, two black and white striped Ditto, Leather Breeches, black Yarn Stockings, Country made Shoes, and a white Holland and Osnabrig Shirt, with several other Things they have taken from other Servants. There are missing two Bay Horses, about 13 Hands high, one branded NH joined together, about 15 Years old; the other with a Brand unknown, about 9 Years old, which it is supposed they have taken.

Whoever takes up the said Servants, or either of them, and secures them in any Jail, or brings them to Thomas King, Overseer at the aforesaid Plantation, or to the Subscribers, if taken in the Province, shall have THREE POUNDS Reward for each; if out, FIVE POUNDS each, and reasonable Charges, paid by

SAMUEL CHASE,

PHILIP HAMMOND,

Annapolis.

It is supposed they have wrote themselves Passes.

THE PARTNERSHIP of BOYD and COMPANY, being now expired; JOHN BOYD begs Leave to inform those Gentlemen who have formerly dealt with the Company, and Others who may incline to become his Customers, That he continues the MEDICINAL STORE, as formerly, in BALTIMORE-TOWN; Having a Small, but General Assortment of DRUGS now on Hand; and expects by the first Vessels from London, and the Straights, either to this, or the Port of Philadelphia, a large Importation of every useful Article in his Way. Their Arrival shall be made known by the Public Papers. As he purposes to Sell for the future, on Terms more advantageous to the Buyer, than his late Connections would permit. He thinks it necessary to wait on his former kind Customers, and other Gentlemen of the Faculty in the Province, as soon as possible, in order to inform them more particularly of his intended Terms.

Those Gentlemen who are indebted to the late Partnership of BOYD and COMPANY, are earnestly requested to remit their several Balances, by the most safe and speedy Conveyance, to

Their much obliged, humble Servant,

(4)

JOHN BOYD.

W A N T E D.

THREE good Draught HORSES, one of them to be a dark red Bay, well Turned, and good Spirit, about 14 Hands high, and no White about him, none of them to exceed Six Years old next Spring. Any Person that hath such Horses to sell, may apply to the Printer hereof.

February 12, 1767.

To be SOLD, pursuant to the Directions of the Last Will and Testament of John Rofs, Esq; Deceased, the following Tracts of LAND, in Frederick County, Maryland, viz.

NEW-LONDON, containing 1360 Acres: The Main Road that leads from Frederick-Town, to Philadelphia, runs through this Tract, about 20 Miles from Frederick-Town, and 2 from Tawney-Town; it is well Wooded, and extremely Level, every Acre of it being fit for Cultivation: The Soil is well adapted for Farming, being capable of producing almost every Kind of Grain. There are three or four Springs of Water, if not more, on this Tract.

THE CORNER, containing 112 Acres. ROSS'S RANGE, containing 3400 Acres. These two Tracts join to one another, and lie 5 or 6 Miles to the Northward of New-London, Great-Pipe-Creek, Bear-Branch, and The Meadows-Branch, run through them, and afford several convenient Sites for Mills; and, on the Banks of these Streams, there is a large Quantity of excellent Bottom Land, capable of either bearing Hemp, or being made into Meadow Ground. The Upland is much the same Quality with that of New-London, but more broken.

THE PLAINS, containing 50 Acres, lies on Piney-Creek, a Draught of Menocacy River. Mr. Normand Bruce, who lives in the Neighbourhood, if called upon, will shew any of the above Tracts, to such as incline to purchase.

WALNUT LEVEL, containing 390 Acres, lies about 10 Miles West from Fort-Cumberland, upon a Branch of Will's-Creek.

ROSS'S-TOWN-CREEK-LOT, containing 530 Acres, lies on Town-Creek, about 12 Miles from the Mouth of it, near a Place called, The Devil's Hole.

WINGFIELD'S DELIGHT, containing 1300 Acres, and lies on a Branch of Lingnore: The Soil is, in general, good, it has plenty of both Timber and Water on it, and there is, from Appearances, great Reason to believe that it contains within it a very valuable Copper-Mine.

The Purchasers may, either, pay ready Money, or will be indulged in Time for the Payment, upon giving good Security.

The Terms may be known by applying to Dr. Upton Scott in Annapolis, who is empowered to dispose of the above Lands.

3^m 3 FRANCIS KEY, } Executors.
U. SCOTT, }

Chester-Town, Feb. 2, 1767.

To be SOLD at Public Vendue, to the Highest Bidder, pursuant to the Last Will of James Calder, Deceased; on the Tenth Day of April next, for either Pennsylvania Currency, or Bills of Exchange,

FIFTEEN Hundred Acres of well Timbered LAND, lying in Kent County, Maryland, and situated between the Rivers of Chester and Sassafras, and within 16 Miles of Duck-Creek Landing.

The aforesaid Land will be Sold, as may be most agreeable to the Purchasers, either in Lots of 200 or 300 Acres, or larger Quantities.

The Sale will be held at a House on the Premises, within about a Mile of Mr. Dennis Dulany's Dwelling-house.

Credit will be given for one Half the Purchase Money, on giving Security if required, and Payment of Interest.

Any Person inclinable to treat for any of the aforesaid Land, before the Day of Sale, may be informed of the Terms, by applying to Mr. Dennis Dulany, Mr. James McLachlan, Doctor John Scott, Mr. Alexander Calder, or the Subscriber, in Chester-Town. The Title is indisputable.

MARY CALDER, Executrix of

(5) 3 Capt. James Calder, deceased.

W A N T E D.

A YOUNG MAN, well Qualified for Tending a COFFEE-HOUSE in this City: Such one will meet with good Encouragement. Enquiry of the Printer hereof.

ANNAPOLIS, January 10, 1767.

Pursuant to the Directions of the Last Will and Testament of Edmund Key, Esq; Deceased, the following Tracts of Land will be Sold to the Highest Bidder, at Public Vendue, on the Third Wednesday in March next, precisely Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of Arthur Charlton, in Frederick-Town, Frederick County, MARYLAND, viz.

PARADISE, containing Three Hundred and Thirty-five Acres. GOOD HOPE, containing Three Hundred Acres. And FRIENDSHIP, containing Two Hundred and Six Acres. These Three Tracts almost join one another; one of them binds upon Patowmack; and all of them lie betwixt Great Conococheague and Little Conococheague Rivers. They will be sold for Ready Cash, or Six Months Credit will be given on proper Security.

U. SCOTT, Executor

To be SOLD by the Subscriber, very cheap, for ready Money, or short Credit,

CHOICE Lisbon Wine, by the Quarter Cask, exceeding fine White Wine Vinegar, and best Batavia Arrack, by the Gallon or larger Quantity.

RALPH FORSTER.

N. B. He has likewise amongst a great Variety of dry Goods, a new Seine, Forty-five Fathoms long, and otherwise calculated for the Patuxent Herring Fishery.

To be SOLD at PUBLIC SALE, on Wednesday the 4th Day of March next, at JOPPA,

A GREAT Variety of the very best Kind of Household and Kitchen FURNITURE, consisting of every Thing necessary for a genteel Family. Likewise a very good CHAISE, with a Bellows Top, and Harness for two Horses; a Single CHAIR, on Steel Springs, entirely new, without Harness; two very good CARTS and GEERS, with sundry Plantation UTENSILS. And a likely young NEGRO Fellow. And,

On the Friday following will be Sold, on the Premises, to the Highest Bidder, pursuant to the Last Will and Testament of Mr. David McCulloch, Deceased,—His late Dwelling-House and Lot in Joppa, with sundry other Lots, sufficiently described in the Maryland Gazette, N^o. 1101, to N^o. 1105. Also Two TRACTS of LAND, adjoining each other, lying within three Miles of Joppa, and containing Three Hundred Acres.

For Terms of Sale, apply to the Executor at ANNAPOLIS, or to Mr. Charles Lin at JOPPA. The Sale of the Furniture will continue from Day to Day, until all is sold.

ANTHONY STEWART, Executor,

(6^w) MARY McCULLOCH, Executrix.

N. B. Bills of Credit to be emitted by Act of Assembly, will be taken as any other Currency, in Payment for the Furniture; and for the Houses and Land, at an Exchange to be agreed on at the Day of Sale.

MARYLAND, January 13, 1767.

THE Subscribers continue to carry on their DISTILLERY at Baltimore-Town, where their Friends and Customers may depend on being constantly supply'd, on the most reasonable Terms, with the best AMERICAN RUM made on the Continent; for which they will take Payment in Bar Iron, Flour, Pork, Wheat, Rye, Indian Corn, Pine Boards, Shingles, Heading, Pipe, Hogthead, or Barrel Staves, if made according to the Philadelphia Staves, and cull'd. They have also to dispose of for Cth, or Bills of Exchange, best West-India Rum, Molasses by the Hogthead or Tierce, Muscovado and Loaf Sugars in Barrels, best New-England Mackerel and Fish Oil.

SAMUEL and ROBERT PURVIANCE.

N. B. They have likewise for Sale, a Parcel of Choice Virginia PORK. (4^m)